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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Montserrat MONSALVATJE LLAGOSTERA, et al.

Application No.:

09/424,673

Group No.:

November 29, 1999 Filed:

Examiner:

For:

PROCESS FOR OBTAINING QUINAPRIL HYDROCHLORIDE AND SOLVATES USEFUL FOR

THE ISOLATION AND PURIFICATION OF QUINAPRIL HYUDROCHLORID

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. SECTION 1.136(4) ational Division

This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of ONE month to 1.

file STATEMENT OF FACTS IN SUPPORT OF FILING ON BEHALF OF NONSIGNING INVENTOR (indicate matter being extended)

"Extensions of Time in Patent Cases (Supplement Amendments)--If a timely and complete response has been filed after NOTE: a Non-Final Office Action, an extension of time is not required to permit filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period.

"If a timely response has been filed after a Final Office Action, an extension of time is required to permit filing and/or entry of a Notice of Appeal or filing and/or entry of an additional amendment after expiration of the shortened statutory period unless the timely-filed response placed the application in condition for allowance. Of course, if a Notice of Appeal has been filed within the shortened statutory period, the period has ceased to run." Notice of Dec. 10, 1985 (1061 O.G. 34-35).

See 37 C.F.R. 1.645 for extensions of time in interference proceedings and 37 C.F.R. 1.550(c) for extensions of time in reexamination proceedings.

NOTE: An extension of time under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.136(a)(1)is available unless: "(i) Applicant is notified otherwise in an Office action;

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"(ii) The reply is a reply brief submitted pursuant to section 1.193(b);

"(iii)	The reply is a request j	for an oral	hearing sul	bmitted	pursuant	to section	1.194(b);
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2	A response in co	nnection with	the matter	for which	this extension	is requested:
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☑ is filed herewith.

□ has been filed.

(complete the following, if applicable)

NOTE: The PTO accepts the filing of a continuing application as a response under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 and 1.137. To facilitate processing in such a case, the petition for extension of time should specifically refer to the filing of a continuing application and also include an express abandonment of the prior application conditioned upon the granting of the petition and the granting of a filing date to the continuing application. Notice of May 13, 1983, 1031 O.G. 11-12.

The response is the filing of a continuation application having an express abandonment conditioned on the granting of a filing date to the continuing application.

- 3. Applicant is
 - □ a small entity. A statement:

☐ is attached.

□ was already filed.

☑ other than a small entity.

4. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. Section 1.17(a)(1)-(5)):

Extension	Fee for other than	Fee for
(months)	small entity	small entity
☑ one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
□ two months	\$ 390.00	\$ 195.00
☐ three months	\$ 890.00	\$ 445.00
☐ four months	\$ 1,390.00	\$ 695.00
☐ five months	\$ 1,890.00	\$ 945.00

Fee \$ 110.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

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[&]quot;(iv) The reply is to a decision by the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences pursuant to section 1.196, section 1.197 or section 1.304; or

[&]quot;(v) The application is involved in an interference declared pursuant to section 1.611."

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6. Fee Payment			
ITE: If there is a fee deficiency and there is no authorization to charge an account, additional fees are necessary to cover additional time consumed in making up the original deficiency. If the maximum, six-month period has expired before deficiency is noted and corrected, the application is held abandoned. In those instances where authorization to charg included, processing delays are encountered in returning the papers to the PTO Finance Branch in order to apply the charges prior to action on the cases. Authorization to charge the deposit account for any fee deficiency should be check			
See the Notice of April 7, 1986; 1065 O.G. 31-33.			
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